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B. of T. Speaker Says This District is Best in Canada

The annual meeting of the Wetaskiwin Board of Trade was held at the Drillard banquet room on Monday evening, when reports of the year's activities were reviewed. The financial statement showed a small deficit on the year's operations, and the report of the executive committee referred to the abandonment of the Standing Crop Competition for want of funds, the outstanding success of the Boys' Swine Club, and the sending of two Wetaskiwin boys to the Royal Fair at Toronto; the Seed Fair in December was one of the best in the Province; the Pigeon Lake highway had been graded to standard and there was a big demand for the Wetaskiwin Publicity books.

The membership fee for 1932 was set at \$1.00 and a big drive will take place for membership. It was decided to appeal for grants to the councils of the City of Wetaskiwin, M. D. Montgomery and M. D. Bigstone to assist in carrying on the activities for the ensuing year.

The officers for the year were then elected as follows:

President—W. H. Odell.
1st Vice-President—B. S. Wallis, of Brightview.

Chairmen of Committees:

Trade and Commerce—C. D. Eman.
Agriculture—C. Kerr.
Finance—W. Bridgeman.
Entertainment—C. W. Walin.
Publicity—Curt Smith.

Roads—T. S. Steedman.

Railways and Aviation—E. Rey-

nolds.

Recreation—H. E. Chalmers.
V. E. Thompson, in retiring from the President's chair, thanked all those who had so loyally co-operated with him in carrying out the duties of his office, and W. H. Odell, in his introductory remarks as president, solicited the hearty support of all the

CALGARY COMMUNIST HAS BEEN DEPORTED

Joseph Ferber, who was sentenced to ten months in Lethbridge jail on a charge of being a member of an unlawful assembly, in connection with a disturbance in Calgary, June 29, last, is on his way back to England. He served less than a month in jail. He was deported under the conditions of an order made two years ago in Ontario for communist activities, and left Canadian shores Dec. 23, six days after having been removed from Lethbridge jail. It is believed that other prominent communist agitators may follow soon.

GAOL SENTENCE GIVEN FOR SELLING LIQUOR TO INDIANS

For selling intoxicating liquor to Treaty Indians of the Hobbema Indian Reservation, Joe Darnia of Wetaskiwin and Edmonton, was fined \$300 and costs or four months hard labor in the Provincial Gaol, by Police Magistrate R. M. Angus on Saturday last.

On a second charge of having in his possession illicit liquor (moonshine) he was fined a further \$300 and costs and in default of payment three months in the Provincial Gaol at hard labor, both sentences to run consecutively.

The Magistrate said that during the past month a lot of liquor had been finding its way to the Indians, and at the present time six Indians were languishing at the Fort as a penalty for refusing to tell from whom they got their firewater, and he promised that the next person convicted of giving or selling liquor to Indians would find him more liberal with their time, and they may find their sentence doubled.

The cases were prosecuted by Constable R. N. Crouch, A.P.P., and Chief A. L. McHugh of the City Police. Darnia was escorted north by Constable Crouch and will begin his seven months' term.

Emancipation of the Women of Russia Declared to Be a Failure

London, Jan. 6.—A writer in the *News-Chronicle* says that the twilight of the big family has undoubtedly set in. "A London school teacher told me that most of the pupils in the classes are 'only' children."

"In the new Russian system, women were declared by the communists to have the same rights and obligations as men. Accordingly, scientific sex enlightenment was given and a system of community feeding, public nurseries and maternity benefits liberalized her from the hampering domestic problems."

"Some of these women entered professions, medicine, the law, engineering. The great masses, however, found themselves in the trades and big industries. There were factory nurseries where the children were dropped in the morning, factory restaurants

BLIZZARD HITS LARGE AREA IN SASKATCHEWAN

Regina, Jan. 10.—Raging uncheck ed over wide stretches of prairie, small towns and cities, a blizzard held a wide section of the central portion of Saskatchewan in its grip to night.

An area which had Moose Jaw as its centre, Swift Current on its western side, Qu'Appelle on its eastern, Gravelbourg and Assinibina, on its south and Govan on its north, felt the force of the storm which attained blizzard proportions during the early evening at most points.

Town Topics

C. Alsberg left for Camrose a few days ago, where he has accepted a position.

W. A. Begg, K.C., of Medicine Hat, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bellamy on Sunday.

B. P. Harding of Ponoka, was in town on Monday last to attend the installation ceremonies at the Elks' hall, all of which were productive of the best interests and welfare of their respective communities. There cannot be any selfishness where such a spirit is manifested. He refers to the International Chamber of Commerce, where true decoration was exemplified in the affairs of the international are conducted by the shrewd and practical business men in the country. This is in contrast to legislation enacted by governments when members work for political purposes rather than for the best interests of the country.

Mr. Blue in his very thoughtful address, spoke of the work being carried on by the Board of Trade in the different centres of Northern Alberta, all of which were productive of the best interests and welfare of their respective communities. There cannot be any selfishness where such a spirit is manifested. He refers to the International Chamber of Commerce, where true decoration was exemplified in the affairs of the international are conducted by the shrewd and practical business men in the country. This is in contrast to legislation enacted by governments when members work for political purposes rather than for the best interests of the country.

Rev. P. C. and Mrs. Wade attended the consecration of Bishop Burge at All Saints Cathedral, Edmonton, on Wednesday.

A rally of Girl Guides and Brownies will be held in the Parish Hall on Wednesday, January 20th, at 7:30 p.m. All interested are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Chaffee and son, Daniel, of Wetaskiwin, were holiday visitors with Mrs. Hilda Chaffee, and other relatives.—Rimbey Record.

W. F. H. Montgomery, trustee of the Wetaskiwin Kiwanis Club, attended a conference of trustees of the Western Canada District at Regina on Saturday and Monday last.

Ramsay MacDonald saved Great Britain by making sacrifices which did not hurt anybody, and he thought the citizens of Wetaskiwin district might have made a little sacrifice to help out the work of the Wetaskiwin Board of Trade, which is very important at this time. If the people have faith in the district of Wetaskiwin, they will co-operate in the work of the Board of Trade.

Mr. Blue then referred to the grain map of western Canada, which showed that the Edmonton and Wetaskiwin districts were 16 per cent better than the average over a ten-year period. This showed that this community was better off than any other part of Canada.

Speaking of the future, Mr. Blue thought there were difficult and dangerous times ahead. There were intense revolutions in the last two years and ten nations were unable to pay their debts. Fourteen countries abandoned the monetary standard and banks in the United States had failed by the thousands. In contrast of this, capital in Canada is liquid, and we will march out to prosperity as soon as good times come back. The big economists see great danger in the world at the present time, and the delegates to the reparation and other conferences to be held in the near future must face the conditions very surely, in the hope that some solution can be found to bring the world back to peace and prosperity.

A meeting of the committee in charge of the Musical Festival for the Wetaskiwin Inspectorate was held in the Alexandra school on Saturday last, when it was decided to hold a festival at Leduc early in May. Committees were appointed to make arrangements for the event.

A demonstrator from the Wabasso Cotton Company will address a special meeting of the Women's Institute in the Club rooms, Pearce street west, on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 21st, at 3 p.m. All interested are invited to be present. Refreshments will be served. No charge. The lucky ticket for the quilt will be drawn at this meeting.

Referring to Elk Lodge activities in Ponoka, the Alberian says: P. A. MacLellan, grand organizer for British Columbia and Alberta, will inaugurate a membership and reorganization campaign for the Calgary club, the meeting decided. Mr. MacLellan holds the record for having organized more lodges than any other organizer in the Dominion. He recently reorganized the Winnipeg club and fell into a large hole, suffering a wrenched back and other injuries, for which he now seeks damages.

DAIRY POOL MEMBERS WILL GET BONUS ON BUTTER FAT

Edmonton, Jan. 12.—With production for the 12 month period ending Oct. 31, 1931, totaling 1,698,000 pounds of butter, thus placing it in the forefront of creameries west of the Great Lakes, the Northern Alberta Dairy Pool has made application to the government for permission to distribute to its producer members one cent a pound on butter fat. This application has been granted and will entail an outlay of \$13,215. Under provisions of the Co-operative Guarantees Act such application must be made and such distribution carried out.

Distribution to each producer member of one cent a pound butter fat is in the form of bonus on the year's operations of the pool. At the time of delivery, producers are paid the prevailing rates and, at the end of the year, any surplus is distributed on a basis of so much for each pound of butter fat sold to the pool.—Bulletin.

Motor licenses in Alberta declined in 1931 by 6,304 less than in 1930.

Weddings

BATEMAN—BUTZ

On Tuesday, January 12th, at high noon, the nuptials of Charles Bate man and Margaret Butz were duly solemnized at the United Church manse. The bride, who comes from England, was recently given a pale blue is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butz, residents of southern Saskatchewan. The groom has established himself at Alder Flats, west of Pigeon Lake. Rev. A. R. Schrag officiated.

WETASKIWIN U.F.A. FARMERS SEEK A HALF HOLIDAY

When the United Farmers of Alberta annual convention is held at First Presbyterian church on Jan. 15, 22, more than 100 resolutions will be presented to the meeting for consideration. A heavy girt already has been filed at U.F.A. headquarters at Calgary and as there is still time to file more, there is expectation of the total reaching 200.

Almost all phases of life touching upon agriculture are included in the subject of the resolutions, from sole land grants to teachers' conventions, scholarships and the gasoline tax.

The Wetaskiwin Dominion constitu tional U.F.A. Association is presenting a resolution seeking a half holiday for farmers each week during the summer months.

The Lethbridge Association seeks an increase in the Supplementary Revenue Tax in preference to a provincial income tax. The Grande Prairie Association favors the giving of returned man's right in filing on homesteads and asks that all returned men resident in Alberta five years be privileged to file on Alberta homesteads.—Bulletin.

REPORT NEW ZEALAND EXTENDS PREFERENCE TO CANADIAN EXPORTS

Ottawa, Jan. 11.—The new trade treaty between Canada and New Zealand, tentatively negotiated between the minister of trade and commerce of the two dominions, replaces the arrangement, which was renounced in 1931 by the former government here.

There had been a treaty with Australia, and the scope of it was extended by a special council to New Zealand. Under this arrangement, huge quantities of butter came into Canada from the other dominion under the normal preferential duty of a cent a pound. Much protest by the dairy interests was stimulated by parliamentary opposition. Hon. C. A. Dunning, finally cancelled the arrangement and made the duty four cents a pound. The present government has doubted that figure.

COMMUNITY WELFARE LEAGUE

The Community Welfare League wishes to acknowledge receipt of the following donations:

Mrs. J. H. Walker's cash report—United Church concert \$15.25
B.P.O.E. No. 91, 2nd donation 15.00
Kiwanis Club 50.00
Curt Smith 15.00
Immanuel Church S.S. 5.00
Alexandra School 2.50

Parcels from the following: Mrs. S. P. Schell, Mrs. Apelt, Wetaskiwin Dairy Pool (per W. A. MacAllister), Mrs. H. G. Finch, Mrs. H. Hanson, Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. J. Walker.

A further report will be given next week.

LIBRARY NOTES

Recent addition to the bookshelves of the public library and what they are about:

"Blanket of the Dark" by John Buchan. A new book by that ever popular author, in which he adds still another triumph to his list of achievements. His latest novel of high romance is set in Oxford, the west country, in the days of Henry VIII. While this is an historical novel it is as fresh in color and movement as though taking place under our eyes, with a plot of turns and twists, the actual denouement of which is in doubt until the last page. It has all the qualities that are dearest to a reader of romances.

"Belle-Mere" by Kathleen Morris.

"This is a novel of which the theme is mother love, and as such it explodes the age old fallacy that mother love is always perfect. For it was that quality unproperly directed, that all but destroyed the happiness of loyal Phil and Shelley his sensitive and high spirited wife.

Other new and interesting books are: "Prodigals of Monte Carlo," by E. Phillips Oppenheim; "Captain Dan's Daughter," by Joseph Lincoln; "The Small Bachelor," by P. G. Wodehouse; and for boys and girls "Song of the Air" by T. C. Edmonds; "Prisoner of Angels" by Alice M. Page; "Lofty" by Louis R. Harpe; and "The Youngest Sister," by Mrs. Marchant.

Last Saturday proved a busy day for the library, 205 books being taken out during the afternoon and evening hours.

WARD SNELL NARROWLY ESCAPES SERIOUS INJURY

Another auto accident occurred here Monday afternoon, when the passenger train from Calgary struck an auto driven by Ward Snell of Pigeon Lake at the Pearce street crossing. A brakeman warned Snell of the approaching train, but apparently he jumped in front of the train and the auto slid on the ice road onto the track in front of the approaching train when the engine stalled. The engine was applied the emergency brake, and the train was almost at a standstill when the collision took place. Snell escaped with slight bruises, but the auto, a Hupmobile, was badly damaged.

There were a few sporadic cases of chickenpox and one of measles, but no epidemic. This was partly due to the action of the other doctors and the people in whose houses the cases occurred in promptly reporting cases

Contract Awarded for Graveling Lake Highway

Information has been given out by a government official that the Pigeon Lake highway, which was graded to standard last fall, will be gravelled before the spring thaw. The contract has been awarded to the Commercial Cartage Company, and the gravel will be procured from a pit north of Brightview. Work will commence in a few days and it is expected that the contract will be completed before April 1st. The operations will be carried on under the Unemployment Relief Scheme.

Montgomery Second In C.N. Progress Competition

JOINT INSTALLATION WAS VERY IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY

Winnipeg, Jan. 8.—Lloyd George, a Scandinavian and German settlement of 25 years' standing, southeast of Edmonton, near Camrose, was awarded second place in the Canadian National Railways community progress competitions for communities of European origin. Information received here Friday from Dr. W. J. Black, director of colonization and agriculture for the railway company.

This is the second year's operation of these competitions.

The board of judges awarded second place to Montgomery, a Swedish and German municipality centring on Wetaskiwin, and third place to Eagle Municipality, a Ukrainian and Romanian settlement northeast of Edmonton. Liberty, municipality of German-Slavic-Franian.

The Norwegian Lutheran Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. O. Asper on Friday, January 15th, at 3 p.m.

The annual congregational meeting of Immanuel Church will be held in the Parish Hall, on Friday, January 15th, at 8 p.m.

Miss Vera Lawson of Swift Current, is spending a few days in Wetaskiwin, renewing the acquaintance of her many friends.

J. J. Borseth of New Norway, left on Wednesday for Meriden, Wis., where he expects to spend a couple of months on business and visiting friends.

A series of week night meetings were held in Wetaskiwin last week, the speakers being Rev. Mr. Davies of Ponoka, and Rev. P. C. Wade and Rev. A. R. Schrag of Wetaskiwin.

The weather during the past week has been varied. A blizzard on Monday last has been followed by a snap, the thermometer registering 14 degrees below zero Tuesday night.

Carl W. Walin of the Walin Studios, left this morning for Regina, where he will attend the Western Canada District Convention of The Master Photo-Printers of America.

Marian McCarthy and party, who performed at the rink on Saturday night last, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bellamy by the Ladies' Amateur Athletic Club.

Abe Gibson, who has been tutor at the Bank of Montreal here for some time, has been transferred to the Tofield branch, and left the first of the week to assume his new duties.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Harmon were in Calgary last week, arranging to have their household furniture brought to Wetaskiwin. They have leased the residence near the Alexandra school, recently vacated by H. E. Chalmers and expect to be settled therein in a few days.

Mrs. John Lyle was agreeably surprised Friday night, when a sleigh load of ladies and gentlemen arrived from town to the tune of Jingling Bells. The occasion was to celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Lyle. All report a pleasant visit, lots of eats and a delightful drive home in the early hours of the morning.

W. Parker, who has been manager of Safeway's store here for several months, has been transferred to Stettler, and he and Mrs. Parker left the fore part of the week to take up their residence in that town. During their sojourn here they made a host of friends who regret their departure. Mr. Parker is being succeeded here by Mr. Anderson, who comes from Stettler.

Mr. A. J. Gibson of the Bank of Montreal staff, was guest of honor at a farewell party held at the home of the Misses Florence and Helen Walker, the fore part of the week, prior to his departure for Tofield, where he has been transferred. Honors at cards were won by Miss Geneva Rocknagle, Mr. Zenith Cieland, Miss B. P. Ingles, Mr. M. T. Cummings. Those present were the Misses Ruby, Florence, Rocknagle, Helen Switzer, Norma Chiddie, Geneva Rocknagle, Jean Angus, and Mesars. Ken Smith, M. V. Cummings, Z. Cieland, R. Mavor, M. Merner, H. Burkholder, L. A. Langau, and A. J. Gibson.

The installation of officers in Victoria Chapter No. 32 O.E.S. took place on Friday evening, the installing officer being Sister Wynne, with Sister Groves as Marshal. After the ceremony, a sumptuous banquet was held. The officers for the year are:

W.M.—Sister Turner
W.P.—Bro. Ingles
A.M.—Sister MacEachern
A.P.—Bro. Blundell
Sec.—Sister Wynne
Treas.—Sister Wiseman
Cond.—Sister Borth Ballhorn
Assoc. Cond.—Sister Chiddie
Chap.—Sister Blundell
Marshall—Sister MacAllister
Organist—Sister Mellott
Adah—Sister Groves
Ruth—Sister Christie
Esther—Sister Norma Chiddie
Martha—Sister Dora Ballhorn
Electa—Sister Moore
Warder—Sister Scodfield
Sent—Bro. Roy Ballhorn

Up The Times Went Ad. column

No Epidemic in Wetaskiwin Is Due to Vaccination of Children

The following is a copy of the report of Dr. A. S. McGowan, Medical Health Officer, submitted to the last meeting of the City Council. It is gratifying to know that the citizens enjoyed such excellent health during the past year.

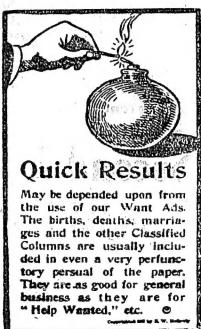
Wetaskiwin, January 4, 1932.
The Mayor and Aldermen,
City of Wetaskiwin.

In submitting my report for 1931 I must wish you all a Happy New Year and congratulate you on the excellent health of the City during the past year.

The cause of having no epidemic this year is due to the work of previous years, especially the vaccination of the children in the schools.

I would advise that all children starting school be vaccinated against smallpox and inoculated against diphtheria.

Yours truly,
A. S. MCGOWAN.



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THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1932

ENGLAND'S WONDER SHIP WILL CROSS ATLANTIC IN 92 HOURS WILL BE "QUEEN OF THE SEAS"

Across the Atlantic speedway with 200,000 horsepower driving her quadruple propellers, England's mysterious supership, the Cunarder "534," will shatter every racing record in greyhound history.

A 73,000-ton colossus, 1,018 feet long and costing \$30,000,000, the new ship now under construction on the River Clyde, at Glasgow, is aimed particularly at Germany's supremacy in the transatlantic passenger traffic. Temporarily known as "534," she will vie for the Atlantic blue ribbon, formerly held by other Cunarders, the "Mauretania," the "Lusitania," and the old "Britannia."

"No. 534 is designed for supremacy over anything afloat. In point of size alone, no present ship can compare with her. The 'Leviathan' with 59,967 tons, and the 'Majestic' with 56,621 tons, are outclassed. 'No. 534' will be eight feet longer than the present blue-ribbon holder, the 'Europa,'" seventeen feet broader, and will displace 23,000 more tons. Her main deck will be 650 feet long; the amidships dining room, between the second and third funnels, will be the largest room ever placed inside a ship; the promenade deck will stretch for 720 uninterrupted feet; her rudder, the largest ever built, weighs 150 tons, and her cubic capacity will embrace 7,300,000 cubic feet. Her commodious cabins will care for 5,000 passengers.

Such staggering dimensions and appointments would avail nothing in the present international rivalry for passengers were it not for the "534's" speed. Five years of study and thousands of tank experiments back this endeavor to wrest the blue ribbon from all possible contestants. The "534's" architects did not design their ship to be abreast of developments in the next five years, but in anticipation of major ship improvements for twenty years to come. Conservatively, it is estimated that "No. 534" will be a four-day greyhound, and that she will travel thirty-five knots as against the "Europa's" twenty-eight knots.

Simple calculations bring out some startling possibilities in the "534." Her twelve turbines will drive this monster across the ocean at express-train speed. At 40.3 statute miles per hour, she will be able to race across the Atlantic in ninety hours, or six hours less than four days.

Speed has become more than a convenience to passengers; it is not a rule of economics with ship-owners and operators. Thus, by increasing speed, the Cunard Line can operate a weekly express service with two superships; heretofore three ships were necessary to maintain a weekly express service. The company is enabled thereby to carry more passengers per ship and to eliminate the tremendous overhead necessary to operate a third ship.

If the "534" could circumnavigate the globe without refuelling, it is within the realm of possibility that she could swim around the earth's equator, 25,000 miles, in 25.9 days, or 620 hours. Thus she becomes a serious competitor to the airship, for the "Graf Zeppelin," in her record-breaking world flight, covered 19,000 miles in twenty-one days and seven hours.

Details of her fittings and appointments are still the secret of the "534's" owners, but they do not hesitate to say that it will cost \$2,500,000 merely to decorate her. On both the port and starboard of the upper deck, fourteen motor lifeboats will be available in case of emergency. Ten miles of steel will pave the state-rooms and vestibules. Ten thousand electric fixtures will be necessary for the lighting and ventilation scheme. The power plant will generate enough current to supply the demands of a city of 100,000.

Invasion of the British tobacco market is planned with the coming establishment of a re-drying plant at The Timberg, Ont., capable of handling 6,000,000 pounds of Canadian leaf per year.

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WE HOPE HE'S HAPPY!

CAMROSE RESIDENT MAROONED ON LONELY ISLAND TWO YEARS

He didn't see a white face for two years—didn't hear a single English sentence, but lived alone with the Eskimos on lonely Victoria land.

That's R. L. "Dad" Miller, proprietor of a hotel at Victoria land, which was the first white man to spend a winter on lonely Victoria land, thousands of miles north of Edmonton.

Last marooned on Victoria land for two years through the sinking of the ill-fated Lady Kindersley off Point Barrow, "Dad" spent two years alone, as well as having spent many other years in the lonely north.

He is an expert upon Eskimo customs, and told of the domestic life of the northern natives when interviewed at his home in Camrose.

"How do the Eskimos make moccasins?" Dad Miller was asked.

"Just a minute and I'll get a pair," he answered. He disappeared and came back on the scene shortly clad in real Eskimo dashery, complete from caribou parka to sealskin "mukluks" or moccasins.

"I don't wear them often any more," he confessed, "because the wife doesn't like to have me cutting up the place with caribou hair."

Sitting down he stretched out his feet and proceeded to explain the fine points of Eskimo cobbling.

"A squaw up on Victoria land made these for me," he said. "I used to have several pairs, but these are the only ones left. You see they make the tops out of hair-seal skin, and trim them with bridle and braid. Then for the bottoms, they take a chunk of walrus skin and start in chewing. They chew until the skin is nice and soft, and they start in to shape them, making teeth-marks up around the front to curl the leather into shape."

"When they get the soles all shaped, then they sew the tops on with 'babiche.' You can see they're pretty smart at it," he added, pointing out the microscopic stitches, "and these moccasins sure last well."

"You must have to dress in everything but the kitchen stove to keep warm in that climate," the interviewer commented.

"Well, we dress just the way the Eskimos do," he answered. "It gets cold, but it doesn't seem to be bad, even when it's around 50 below. It's not cold, that you just don't get out much that's all."

"How are the snowhouses for warmth?" he was asked.

"None too comfortable," was the response, "but you get used to any thing."

"All told, I've lived nearly three months in igloos. They aren't much for warmth. You have to wear all your clothes when you sleep, and you roast and freeze in turn, depending on how warm the fire is. The Eskimos don't take long to build them, though. They can put up one in a few hours. They build little ones whenever they spend the night, although sometimes they have really fancy ones in more or less permanent camps."

"When they want a house they just pick a nice, hard drift and go to it. They mark out a circle on the ground, and build down as well as up using the chunks they take out of the floor to build the walls and roof. They don't make a really finished job unless they're going to spend some time in one spot, which isn't often. Whenever they go on a seal hunt they put up a small igloo right beside the seal hole."

"How do they catch seals?" Miller was queried.

"First they let their dogs smell out breathing holes," he answered, "and they then make camp right beside the hole. Some of them use bows and arrows but for the most part they have guns. They use a harpoon head until the seal sticks its nose out of the water, and then stab him with the spear. There is a detachable head on the spear that comes off in the seal. They have a line tied to the spear-head, and after they spear them they start the skin. It often takes a long time before they can drag him to the surface or get a shot at him."

"Do they live mostly on seal meat?"

"No, mostly on fish and caribou. The caribou are their real bank account. If caribou are near, they are fat and happy. When the caribou move, they move. They depend mostly on caribou meat for food and for oil. The foxes take the caribou, and if they don't get fox, then they don't get anything to trade for tanned food and the knife-knacks we supply them in exchange for fur."

"I started from Fort Brabant in

1923 and the boat was supposed to visit me the next summer. When the ice broke up I was watching for her, but she didn't come. As August went by I knew that it was too late and that something must have happened her.

"I found out the summer after that the boat, the Lady Kindersley, had been trapped by floe ice off Point Barrow and had sunk. I knew something like that must have happened but I didn't hear the details until the Baychimo came for me the next year. That's how I came to spend two years without seeing a white face or hearing a word of English. I didn't worry much, though. I had lots of food and was young then."

"I went 'outside' in the summer of 1925, and then came back for another two year term. Then in 1929 I went to Herschel Island and up the Mackenzie river, and put up at a post I built on the Coppermine. But I got tired of the north, and now I'm 'outside' for good," he said—Edmonton Journal.

INCREASE OF 320,000 LBS. IN PAST YEAR

Alberta creamery butter production reached a new peak in 1931 with 22,650,000 lbs., which exceeds by 320,000 lbs. the previous high mark registered in 1929 when production totalled 22,330,000 lbs., according to figures released on Saturday by Dr. C. Parker, provincial dairy commissioner.

The 1931 production shows an increase of 28 per cent over 1930.

Milk production, according to preliminary figures, which are not yet complete, increased by 15 per cent over 1930. Creameries in operation totalled 92.

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The total value of dairy farm products is placed at \$1,075,000, of which \$4,580,000 is for creamery butter; \$115,000 for cheese and the rest, \$11,105,000 for other dairy products, such as milk, dairy butter, ice cream and other items.

Last year's total for all dairy farm products was \$18,675,000.

The average price for creamery butter for 1931 was estimated at 20 cents as against 28.04 cents for 1930.

Returns for the cream grading service for 11 months of 1931 show that the percentage of special grade cream was 45 per cent, compared with 41 per cent in 1930, thus revealing a substantial increase in the quality of the product.

HUMOR OF THE PRESS:

Louise Blaik Duff, of Welland, Ontario, an exceptional editor who has been able to retire and devote his time to history and other things in which he takes a personal interest recently on the above topic gave an address before the St. Mary's Rotary Club. As reported by the Journal-Argus, the first part of the address was devoted to unconscious humor found in the newspapers. Those unhappy slips which delight readers but cause editors to grow prematurely gray, received some attention. He referred to such slips as in the reporting of accidents, "as soon as Dr. Dutton had fel his purse, he gave up all hope." "The ladies of St. Paul's have cast off their cloths. They may be seen in the basement from 3 to 6 o'clock. An excerpt from a nearby paper, informed the public that "it is proposed to use donations to purchase wenchens for the park, as the old ones are in a very dilapidated condition." In another case a "bottle scarred veteran" was welcomed home, the editor apologizing in the next issue for what should have read "battle scarred." The speaker told of two rival editors who fought bitterly for years. One died and the other sought to make amends in the obituary. But unfortunately the item became mixed up with the report of a fire and it read: "When the beautiful casket was lowered to its last resting place, lurid flames shot up. This reminds us of the late Harry Dewar's slip when he wrote in the Harrison Review of a man's smoldering remains" being removed from the old cemetery to the new. Another case of mixing ads and reading matter was: "Born to Mr. and Mrs. McShort, a son, with hot water attachment." "We want your eggs and we want them bad," an advertiser offered the public, and on another occasion, "I am in the position to hatch your eggs." "Mira, Gallom" has been taken to the hospital for an operation. Her gasoline station will be closed indefinitely."

Starvation's pangs from day to day.

With him who had been glad to share His bread and meat along the way. No dog, however mean or rude, is guilty of ingratitude.

The dog is listed with the dumb.

No voice has he to speak his creed, His messages to humans come, By faithful conduct and by deed.

He shows, as seldom mortals do, A high ideal of being true.

Last year nearly 24,000 barrels of oysters were taken in Canadian waters. The largest producer was New Brunswick, where the catch totalled more than 13,000 barrels. Prince Edward Island produced nearly 4,900 barrels, British Columbia about 3,200 and Nova Scotia a few barrels less than 2,000.

MANY TIRED BRAINS AMONG SCHOOL CHILDREN

In a recent editorial, the High River Times expressed the opinion that the children were returning to the educational treadmill for another three month stretch, as under the present curriculum, every hour of the day is required to complete each year's course. There is not an un-scheduled minute in which to pursue pleasant pastimes, to store up a reservoir of health against the demands of later life, or to permit each individual to relax in its own fashion.

A teacher remarked recently that people generally did not realize how many tired brains there were among children at school. Not many adults in daily work, carrying on the sustenance of the average twelve-year old child, whose mind is constantly on the alert from nine to nine.

There are many fathers and mothers who will agree whole-heartedly with this. The children not only are kept steadily at work during the day, but they are given sufficient home study to keep them busy for anywhere from one to three hours in the evening. Fathers who have had to struggle with problems in arithmetic, mothers who have had to "hear" geography or history, know that there is not enough breathing space in the child's leisure hours. This, of course, applies to the conscientious boy or girl who insists on completing the full quota set by teacher.

The teachers argue that it is not their fault. They are bound, they will tell you, to an inexorable wheel. The department sets the course of study and if the teacher is conscientious, the course is covered. It would be more accurate to say it is crammed.

There is a feeling that too much is compressed into too little time. The three-year high school course already has received wide criticism. The universities are complaining that students are coming to them when too young; in many instances the pupil is through high school at an age below that set for admission to the university.

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IMPORTANCE OF WESTERN ROUTE

Comment by Edmonton Bulletin: "Exporters tell us that there is at present more wheat available for shipment by the western route than by the eastern route. This is, it is said, the first time such a situation has existed. By 'available' wheat means that set for shipping in the western route.

"Now the Lord of Peace Himself give you peace always by all means. The Lord be with you."

Claude L. Worrall, Primate, The Church of England.

Edmund H. Oliver, Moderator, The United Church.

W. G. Brown, Moderator, The Presbyterian Church.

John MacNeil, President, Baptist World Alliance.

J. P. Hauch, Chairman, Evangelical Church Committee.

J. Reble, President, Evangelical Lutheran Church.

PROVINCE NAMES

OFFICIAL AUDITORS

Annual appointments of official auditors in all parts of the province have been gazetted by the government, to the number of some 850. Of these 48 are in Calgary and 42 in Edmonton, mostly chartered accountants in both cases. Other cities, all the larger towns, and a fair spread lists of villages and rural communities are included in the appointments.

The auditors thus named are authorized to examine and audit the books of municipalities, school districts, and other organizations rendering such service. Though carrying no salary privileges from the government, the appointments are made each year for the convenience and guidance of the public.

DOCTOR'S ORDERS

Old Lady: "Why did you become a tramp?"

Tramp: "The doctor told me to take walks after meals, and I've been walking after them ever since."

Over 11,000 signatures have been received from Alberta favoring disarmament.

Garden Freshness—Always
"SALADA" TEA
"Fresh from the Gardens"

PRAYER AND MEDITATION IN BEHALF OF DISARMAMENT

BETTER TIMES NEAR AT HAND BENNETT SAYS

The announcement has been made that the World Conference on Disarmament, to which the principal Nations have appointed official representatives, will open its sessions at Geneva, Switzerland, Tuesday, February 3rd, 1932.

The "Polyot" Petition for World Disarmament, which is being signed by a great number of citizens in many countries, has received hundreds of thousands of signatures of members of the Christian Communions in Canada.

Believing that it would advantage the cause of International Good Will and strengthen the growing conviction in favor of Disarmament, the undersigned unite in this call to the Christian Congregations in Canada, to set apart Sunday, January 31st, 1932 (the Sunday immediately preceding the Conference) as a day for Special Prayer.

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Precious Indorses Grandpa

Anyone seeing Virginia Lennard glance furtively at the door of her room that early morning might think she was planning at least an elopement.

A second glance would reveal the fact that her age was past the eloping age. She was a charming woman, though, and if she hadn't been so harassed * * * * * Another glance at the door; a peek into a pocket book, a hasty puffing of an already delectably powdered nose, and gloves were snatched. Then Virginia Lennard started on tiptoe for the door. Outside she paused to listen. Not a sound. She tripped downstairs — a girlish trip — and managed to open and shut the door noiselessly. She was free.

Meanwhile, Mr. and Mrs. George Lennard were coming slowly from what seemed a very anaesthesia of sleep. George threw his arms above his head and grunted. "Aren't you glad it's Sunday?"

Marcy, at his side, yawned profoundly and stretched her pink toes before she replied.

"Wonder if Moms will have hot biscuits or coffee cake for break- fast?"

A piercing yell arose. The lazy ones flew out of bed to a crith in an alcove. "What can have happened? I don't believe Precious has been fed! Where's his formula?" A wild expression crossed the two peerings faces. "Quick, George, call Moms. I guess she's in the kitchen."

No reply.

Two distracted pyjamaed figures flew downstairs. No; no convenient "Moms" to be seen anywhere. But a jar of formulated milk stood in the refrigerator and neatly written directions for feedings near by. Marcie burst into wild weeping. "Moms has gone crazy," she cried.

George whistled. His eyes, still heavy with sleep, were utterly perplexed.

"No," he said at length, "Moms is not crazy. My belief is she's just played hooky. You know, Marcie, we do work Moms pretty hard."

"I can understand her being fed up with us," admitted Marcie, "but when it comes to leaving Precious!"

"But, listen, Kiddie. Gosh! I hate to say it, but seems maybe it's we that neglect Precious. We go and golf — look at yesterday afternoon. Moms just stayed home when it was 80 degrees in the shade and cooked the dinner and waited on Precious. You bet I'm right. Moms has had a pack."

That night special delivery letter came. The two, exhausted with sketchy meals and a hair-traction Precious, took it open. It read:

"My Dear Farmers: Of course George has taken it sensibly (is not that a proper opening for a dreadful mother-in-law, Marcie?), but I'm afraid you and Precious may take it to say, 'I am human. And when Nesta invited me last week to Glencoe — where there's a gorgeous country club, plenty of tennis, golf and several good companies coming, as well as some eastern operas — I simply couldn't refuse. I am just being lazy; having massage and beauty treatments and being dreadfully spoilt, of course, by Nesta. I know you'll be all right. I told Dr. Lucy all about it before I went, and in an emergency you can have old Grace come in to cook. But I hope you won't. 'Housework is wonderful for the figure,' and Marcie seemed to me to be slipping a bit about the hips. Forever, dears,

"Your Runaway Moms."

"She's frivolous, that's what Moms is," declared Marcie, looking at her contours in the pier glass. "But I guess I will do a little sweeping while she's gone."

"The worst of it is that Moms always has beaux when she goes away.

Had Been Troubled With Constipation From Childhood

Mr. R. D. Grant, King's Head, S.S., writes: "I had been troubled with constipation as a child, and never seemed to help myself for a number of years until a doctor recommended Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills. I found after taking them a short time that they had relieved my trouble and I have continued to take them ever since. They have greatly benefited my general health in every way. They are something that no household can afford to be without."

"In a flash J. K.'s finger, which had half extended in playful simulation of a pose, curled with his other fingers into a fist, and the fist caught the unaware. Ted Wenner under the chin and set him reeling against the rope. Mary's half-breath-ed, "You" was the only sound for a startled second, and then there was pandemonium. The lion roared, the other animals brayed, bellowed, snorted, as with their language; trainers cracked their whips, women and children, and men, screamed and stampeded for the exit which was luckily wide enough to let them out, and J. K. and Ted Wenner found themselves being dragged in their wake by two husky guards, with Mary following close."

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Pigs may be killed by electricity in English slaughter houses, Sheffield man having perfected a method which is said to be successful.

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Poke Your Finger at a Lion

"What you need," said Dr. White, "is to poke your finger at a lion."

"That's all the prescription I can give you," the famous physician went on gruffly. "There's nothing wrong with you organically. But you're in a bad physical and mental state. It's up to you to snap out of it. As I said, poke your finger at a lion!"

When he had gone the doctor turned to his nurse. "That," he explained, "is the most eligible bachelor in town." He was born with a gold spoon in his mouth and he still eats with it. He's had everything he's wanted, and has been everywhere. He hires people to look after his income and others to look after his philanthropies. Result: he hasn't an interest in life. Bah!"

"Still, it must be nice to be rich," commented the nurse.

J. K. as he was known to his friends, was his chauffeur waiting for him, and walked down the street. He was keenly disappointed, for he had gone to the doctor hoping that there was some physical basis for the lassitude that had beset him. So he was simply "in a rut." Mary Rand had put it more bluntly. She had said when he had asked her to marry him, "Marry you! You're so bored with life you don't care whether you marry or not. You're bored you're getting to be a bore yourself. I shouldn't know what to do with you."

The words had stayed in his mind. He could not rid himself of them. He had been so sure of her. Ever since he was old enough to notice, she had angled for him and he had become smitten. Then he had met Mary Rand, and she had seemed different — as every woman does to the man who loves her. She earned her living, which alone set her apart, from most of the women he knew, and she had a personality, and he hated the sight.

As he paused at the corner for the green light, his glance, to a building opposite, was arrested by a bright yellow lion and he heard the doctor's voice, "Poke your finger at a lion!" Both the lion and the words were so real that he gave a start, and the awakening to his surroundings, grinned sheepishly. The lion was safely on a poster, announcing, "Circus is 'Here!' Now." Again the doctor's words sounded in his ears. A grim sense of humor possessed him. Well, why not? The doctor had not meant the advice literally of course, but why not take it literally?

He hasted a taxi. At the circus grounds the afternoon performance was over but the ticket seller sold him an admission to the animal tent. Here a crowd was still standing around, fascinated as crowds always are by wild animals behind bars. The lion was moving about in his cage, restlessly, angrily. If one could judge by the hot gleam that came from his eyes. A keeper watched that none leaped too hard against the protecting rope. J. K. thought whimsically that the lion would not be much concerned at a single finger poked at him from the distance of the rope when just in front of him he heard the soft, oily voice of Ted Wenner say, "Oh, but you must." And he heard Mary Rand's cold answer, "I don't want to speak to you again." And then came Ted Wenner's sneering laugh, "But you'll telephone, my dear. They all do."

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you," said a guard, knocking their heads together.

As it by magic a police wagon appeared and without ceremony the two were hustled in.

"I'm going, too," said Mary.

J. K. tried to protest, but Mary silenced him. "I was never so thrilled in my life," said she. "Besides," practically, "you'll need me as a witness."

That same evening Dr. White received a telegram — signed "J.K." It read: "Many thanks for the prescription. I poked my finger at a lion, I'm out on bail and I won the girl."

"H'm," said Dr. White, "h'm."

FLOCKS UPON THE THOUSAND HILLS

J. S. Jones has arranged for the Bank of Montreal magazine, an article on sheep raising in Alberta. It includes figures on the possibilities of sheep ranching, and also an entertaining description of the work involved in the successful raising of these domestic animals. He says:

"Canada's sheep have increased about 127,000 head per annum in the last five years, but this is not fast enough in view of the fact that \$42,616 worth of wool and wool products were imported in 1929, with exports of \$25,693."

"Raising sheep on ranches is quite different from raising them on farms. A good range ewe can be bought for \$6 to \$8.00. The June clip should fetch \$4.00 in the autumn. A gross income of \$4.60, with cost of upkeep \$3.60 a year, so that the net income should be \$1.00 per cent. These are fair profits but only won with eternal vigilance."

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Neighborhood NEWS

BATTLE LAKE

Miss Vera Lawson of Swift Current, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fullerton for the past week.

Friends will be glad to hear that Mrs. George Kinney and baby daughter are both doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fullerton entertained with a dance in honor of Miss Lawson, last Friday night. A large crowd attended and a wonderful time was had by all.

Miss Carmichael of Wemham Valley, spent the weekend with friends at Battle Lake.

Misses Francis Roulson, Dora Baxter, Margery Steedman and Gwen Clelland of Wetaskiwin, visited the Fullertons during the weekend.

Gwynne

Miss Cabush returned from Edmonton on Sunday.

The Crooked Lake Ladies' Aid met at C. M. Turnquist's last Thursday, with a good attendance in spite of the bad roads. They raffled the fancy bedspread and scarf, Walter Hagstrom being the lucky winner, holding number 24.

Fred Maynard left for Edgerton on Sunday.

There was a big crowd at the wed-ding dance here last Friday. Hope nobody went home with broken toes.

Aavid Nygren returned from the coast last Saturday, and reports having had a very nice trip.

Ed. Holter left last week for Blue Ridge, where he is going to work in a lumber camp.

SOUTH PIGEON LAKE

Miss Louise Snell of Wemham Valley, spent a few days last week at the home of her uncle, Mr. Ward Snell.

Friends will be glad to hear that Mrs. Cecil Dooley and baby daughter Lois Joyce, were able to leave the Wetaskiwin hospital last Wednesday, and are now at home.

Cecil Curtis spent several days in Edmonton last week on business.

Ward Snell made business trips to Edmonton and Red Deer this week.

The board of the South Pigeon Lake school is holding a dance in the school on Friday night.

Miss Vera Lawson and Mrs. W. B. Fullerton spent last Tuesday visiting at Snell's mill.

Miss Baker, who has been working at Snell's mill, returned to Edmonton last week.

The road across Pigeon Lake is now safe for traffic, and cars and trucks have been using it for the past two weeks.

The fishing season closed on Pigeon Lake last Wednesday at noon. An excellent catch is reported.

NEW SWEDEN

Georgia Blanch spent the holidays with her parents here.

The Conference held in the Swedish Mission Church was great success, and the church was crowded at all the meetings.

Miss Alma Anderson returned to Camrose on Monday evening.

Mrs. Archibald Swanson of Strome and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Larson of Unity, and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson.

Miss Sylvia Blomgren spent the holidays with relatives.

Herbert Anderson returned to Edmonton on Sunday, to resume his studies at the University.

Norma and Bernard Swanson spent a few days at Winfield last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ohman of Bawlf, visited at Clarence Pearson's last week.

Miss Vivian Richards was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris over the weekend.

Ludvig Davidson and Miss Lillian Thor spent the Christmas holidays with relatives here.

WESTEROSSE

The Westerosse hockey club entertained Bismarck on the 10th, when a large crowd was in attendance. The game started off at a very fast clip and started the first goal after 10 minutes of exciting play. From this point Westerosse dominated the play entirely, and ran out winners on a big score, Westerosse 10, Bismarck 2.

Thorsby hockey club are the visitors on Sunday, January 14th, when very fast game should be enjoyed at 2:30 p.m.

Citizens of Wetaskiwin are requested to look round their collages and take in this game. We have a special brand of ozone on the lake during the winter.

NAVARE

Mr. and Mrs. T. Stelter entertained about fifty friends last Friday evening in honor of Mr. Stelter's birthday. The evening was spent in playing cards, and everyone had a very enjoyable time.

The annual ratepayers' meeting of the Bulyen School District was held at the school last Saturday at two o'clock, with John Rudy as chairman and Percy Hoyle as secretary-treasurer. One trustee was needed and John Rudy was nominated for this position. Some interesting, lively and rather heated discussion took place. It was

voted by a large majority of the ratepayers to have a secretary-treasurer who is not a trustee. The meeting adjourned with the coming of darkness.

The annual ratepayers' meeting of the Beau's Hill district was also held at their school on Saturday, January 9th, at 2:30 p.m. The same school board has been retained and consists of J. J. Malmas, John Vassberg and A. Reid.

Mr. L. M. C. Jackson of Wetaskiwin, has been spending a few days at the home of his daughter, Mrs. P. H. Rix.

(Intended for last week)

On Tuesday, December 29, a party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Green. About fifty guests were present and spent the evening dancing and playing cards. Everyone reported having had a very enjoyable time.

Oral Nelson motored up from Camrose on Saturday. He returned home on Sunday, taking with him his wife and son, Donald, who have been spending a week at the home of Mrs. Peter Nelson.

Twin calves seem to be the order of the day in the Navare district, four or five farmers having reported this profitable event.

Miss Ethel Johnson and Miss Doris Sehlin attended the re-union put on by the Alumni Association of the Camrose Normal School and held in Camrose on December 30th.

(Intended for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kehoe had the misfortune to lose their home with all its contents by fire last Sunday night. The family were away spending the evening with neighbors at the time of the fire.

Ralph Edwards returned to Calgary Saturday, after spending the vacation here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Goodee.

Mrs. Frank Thorn and Jema of Wetaskiwin, are visiting relatives in New Norway district.

Wm. Meyers and Joe Wempe spent a week with friends at Buck Lake.

J. Sickelsteel received word of his father's (Wm. Sickelsteel) death at Custer, Wash., on December 21st. Mr. Sickelsteel was one of the early settlers of this district, residing here until five years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meyers entertained at a turkey dinner on New Year's day, Grandma Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. G. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. B. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wempe and families, and Mrs. F. Thorn and daughter of Wetaskiwin.

Mrs. Mulkey is a patient in the Camrose hospital.

School opened again Monday, after the holidays. Miss Joyce Wilson of Hay Lakes, Miss Florence O'Brien of Didsbury, were back Monday morning to resume their duties.

Miss Fannie Leah of near Malm, is spending this week with Mrs. N. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Trautman entertained a number of their friends at a card party last Monday evening.

Mr. Lars Olsdatt is ill at his home at New Norway.

Miss Wanda Curry and Marcell Aleckson returned to their school at Camrose this morning.

Donald is to be congratulated on their two-room consolidated school. Special services are being held this evening, when a special program for the occasion will be carried out with Rev. Pocock presiding as chairman, Inspector Russell and Principal Howes of the Camrose Normal, and Principal Marke of the Camrose High School, as well as several speakers of the Department of Education of Edmonton will have their parts on the program. The new Duhamel school has an enrolment of some 50 pupils and has been sorely in need of more room. Miss Jean Laube of near Westlock, is to be the principal, and they are to teach Grade XI, while Miss Vivian Hanson of Ferintosh, will be instructor in lower grades.

FALUN

At the annual meeting of the Falun Sports Club which was held last Saturday evening, the following officers were elected: President: O. Matson; Vice-President: R. Soboleff; Sec-Treas. S. Timsoft; Executive Committee: R. Soboleff, A. Anderson, E. Eeklund, A. Karlson.

Word has been received that the graveling of the South Pigeon Lake road will begin in a few days.

Miss Gwen Clelland of Wetaskiwin, was a visitor at Falun over the weekend, the guest of Miss Marjorie Steedman.

WINFIELD

While the snowstorm in progress at the present writing, did not "begin in the gloaming," yet it seems to be doing its work quite as well as if it had followed the proper procedure prescribed by Lowell!

Isaac Richardson has returned from Red Deer, where she visited relatives and friends.

John and Alex Main and Mr. Johnson of Milet, were in town one day last week, on their way to the Roy-Van Volkenburgh mill at Buck Lake.

Several residents were glad of an opportunity to purchase Pigeon Lake whitefish, when a load went through here last week.

Miss Dolly Stadie, who is attending High School at Modeste Valley, was home for the weekend.

The concert and dance held in the

Community hall, Breton, Friday evening, was well attended by residents of Winfield and vicinity.

The annual school meeting of Winfield School District was held in the school Saturday afternoon. The majority of the ratepayers were in attendance, and some vexed questions were settled amicably. Mr. Handbury was chosen to be trustee in place of Mrs. Handbury, who, on retiring, was tendered a vote of thanks for her long service as trustee.

Mrs. McElroy and family have returned to their residence here from Wetaskiwin.

Winfield U.F.A. will hold a bus-ness meeting Saturday evening.

HILLSIDE

The Hillside U.F.A. card party, which was to have been held on Saturday night, has been postponed to January 27th on account of the cold weather.

CALMAR COMMUNITY HALL OFFICIALLY OPENED FRIDAY

The Calmar Community Hall, one of the finest in the rural district, was officially opened on Friday evening last, when A. P. Mitchell, M.L.A., delivered a brief address. C. J. Bloomquist was chairman of the meeting, and a short program was given, following which a most enjoyable dance was held. Dr. Woods of Leduc, led the grand march. Over seven hundred paid admission, dancers being present from Edmonton, Wetaskiwin, Millar, Leduc, Thorshy and Calmar.

The Calmar 7-piece orchestra was in attendance. The hall was artistically decorated with colored lanterns around the lights, while a mass of crepe hung from the centre of a large ring to all the walls, blended so as to give the building the effect of a sky at sunset, was beautiful and very effective.

The Calmar hall is one of the finest in the country, being 36x80 feet, and has two large galleries, ladies' and gentlemen's dressing rooms, as well as a large check room, booth and large stage. The floor is highly polished maple. Prior to the dance, a fast game of hockey was played between Thorshy and Leduc, the latter winning by a score of 3-2.

CHERRY GROVE SCHOOL REPORT

Grade VIII.

Phyllis Switzer 69

Gordon Ellsworth 60

Harold Johns 40

Grade VII.

Kenneth Lilleahl 72

Melvin Ballhorn 61

Anna Hansen 55

Emma Schantz 54

Grade VI.

Lloyd Pearson 68

Cecil Schantz 66

Carl Axens 64

Bertha Axene 60

Ralph Swanson 60

Grade IV.

Olive Schantz 89

Arlene Peterson 82

Loyal Johns 65

Grade III.

Bernice Johns 52

Grade II.

Alan Swanson 60

Grade I. Beginners—Gordon Peter-son.

Mrs. E. ANDERSON, Teacher.

WHEAT QUOTA APPROVED BY OLD COUNTRY MILLERS

London, Jan. 12.—The Government's wheat quota scheme granting British farmers a guaranteed share of the British wheat market at a fixed price was approved at a conference between the ministry of agriculture and representatives of the millers, corn merchants and farmers today.

Details of the scheme will be set by a committee working with the ministry, and the project will be placed in legislative form. It is the preliminary to giving Dominion wheat growers their own quota in the British market.

Following negotiations extending for some weeks, in the course of which the government made several alterations in its original project, representatives of the millers, corn merchants, and farmers conferred with Sir John Gilmour, minister of agriculture, today.

This is the first step toward a quota for the Dominions' wheat farmers in a project which it is believed will result in dividing the British wheat requirements somewhat as follows: 15 per cent for domestic farmers, 55 per cent or more for Dominions' farmers, and the remainder open competition between the Dominions and foreign countries.

GOOD SHOOTING

He had joined the golf club and on his first hole made it in one. At the second he came another hole, and another awkward swing and he made the second in one. Turning around, white and trembling, he said:

"Gosh! I thought I'd missed that time."

A Scotman and an Englishman were shooting together, and as the Englishman was a very poor shot the Scot decided to get a little spare cash at his expense. "I'll bet you a couple of quid," he said, "that you canna shoot at anything over 200 yards and kill it." "Right," agreed the other.

"I'll take you," said then a black crow passed overhead, and taking careful aim, the Englishman fired.

The bird fell dead at his feet. "I've won," he cried joyfully. The Scot was crestfallen. "But, mon," he began, "you dinna win the bet. A fa' o' that distance would kill anything."

THE FARMER'S HOLIDAY

Wetaskiwin representatives at the United Farmers of Alberta convention in Edmonton will introduce a resolution proposing a half holiday a week for farmers. The idea is so startling that one imagines it must have evolved in the brain of some city man.

The trouble with holidays on the farm is that animals won't go on a six day week or eight-hour shift. The cow manufactures milk all the time except during her dry period, and unless it is drawn off regularly, she bawls. No Alberta legislation is going to keep a cow from bawling, and no college professor of agriculture yet devised a means of milking a cow in advance of time.

"It would be as difficult a job as collecting eggs before they are laid. When I worked on the farm, holidays came around at rare intervals.

We celebrated these mainly by putting on clean overalls and attending to the odd chores that had accumulated during the past few months.

It is doubtful if there could be found enough odd chores on the average farm to keep the farmer busy half a day every week and that would be a sad state of affairs indeed. A farmer who has nothing to do is the most miserable creature imaginable. He likes work. Otherwise he would not be a farmer.

As a concession to the occasion, the farmer may get up half an hour later than usual, but he makes up for this by having a hurried breakfast. Then he attends to the feeding and milking of the animals, the cleaning of the barns, and the other necessary chores. After that begins his holiday.

How does he spend it?

He takes down the stovepipes. He sorts out the rotten potatoes. He saves cordwood, and does a bit of splitting. He greases the heavy wagons. He straightens the fence posts, puts a new handle in the hoe, and does a bit of amateur blacksmithing. He clips the old mare. He puts up a sagging fence, and hunts around for the wire piers he lost last summer. He cleans up the roothouse. He trains the pup to drive cattle. He puts a new board down by the well. He takes stock of the feed on hand, and puts a porker in a private sty for fattening.

He has a thoroughly enjoyable time.

Once half holidays are made a legal institution, however, it will not be so pleasant. Work will be forbidden. There will be heavy penalties for infringements. There may even be walking delegates snooping around to see that the provisions of the act are strictly observed.

It is sincerely to be hoped that there will be a few loopholes in the Farmers' Half Holiday Act. Emergencies arise suddenly, and it is not always convenient to wait until the next session of the Legislature at Edmonton before taking action.

If the best cow breaks into a field of green oats on the holiday, would her owner be expected to delay until after the last stroke of midnight before shooting her out? Green oats, in glutinous quantities, do no good whatever to cows in milk.

If the irrigation dam breaks, is the leak to be stopped today or tomorrow?

Suppose a stranger drops in and offers to buy a horse for more than its worth, will the farmer dare take advantage of the golden opportunity or will he ask the prospect to come again on a more legal occasion?

Assuming that the district bankers in a jovial mood and offers to renew the mortgage for three years, necessary to instructors from head office, is it a financial transaction to be considered as work and pushed hitherherside, or as a godsend and gladly embraced?

If the farmer absent-mindedly pulls out a sow thistle, will he be

expected to plant it again so that it may be legally eradicated on the morrow?

If no, there's no "if" about this one—when there is an impending maternity case in the dairy barn, by what process of *hocus-pocus* is the distracted farmer to convince the cow that she should wait a few hours longer before dropping her calf? This sort of thing has never been subjected to "whereases" and "therefore be it resolved," and half holiday or no half holiday, what must be must be.

Whatever else the authorities insist upon, it is hoped there will be a compassionate allowance for law-breakers during seed time and harvest. Few farmers will be stoical enough to prefer a legal wet holiday to an illegal dry stock of hay—Van-couver Province.

LAND REVERTS TO PROVINCE

Edmonton, Jan. 11.—More than 7,000 parcels of land in improvements districts throughout the province have been declared by order-in-council to be provincial or Crown lands and are being turned over to the lands and mines department for such disposal as may be found advisable. They run from mere fractions of acres to quarter-sections, the majority being 160 acres. All parts of Alberta are represented in the list.

The lands in question have been taken under tax recovery proceedings that have been pending for sometime past, and title has now been acquired, because of default of taxes, by the province. If and when they are sold as Crown lands, subject to tax arrears, the improvements districts in which they are located will be paid the taxes owing.

Some of the lands, it is probable, will be thrown open for homesteading, but the department of lands and mines has not yet dealt with the matter.

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CHEAP TREATMENT

Two little girls were decided upon their choice of marriage. One was going to marry a doctor for nothing. "Oh, are you trying to reduce, too?"

"I haven't averaged more than one meal a day all this week, lady."

"Oh, are you trying to reduce, too?"

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FOR SALE—Purchased White Wy-
andotte cockerels, high egg strain, \$1.50.
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Buckwell, RR2 Wetaskiwin. 43-2u

FOR SALE—Red and white dairy
cows, due to freshen middle of Janu-
ary. Price reasonable for quick
sale. Apply to Alex Murray, Box 174
Wetaskiwin. 43-2t

FOR SALE—Registered Tanworth
hogs, either sex, 140 lbs., \$12.00, in-
cluding papers. Jas. B. Day, Miller.
42-2t

FOR SALE—Government banded
grade "C" turkey toms and hens. Mrs.
S. B. Lucas, Wetaskiwin, Alta. Phone
R902. 42-2t

FOR SALE—Purchased Barred Rock
Cockerels, \$1.00 each during January.
Foundation stock Manitoba and Al-
berta Approved Flocks. Would also
like to exchange three of the above
lockers for unrelated birds. S. G.
Simpson, R.R.1 Falun. 41-3t

FOR SALE—Pekin drakes, white
Rock cockerels, \$2.00 each. Hunting-
ton Farm, phone 2605, Wetaskiwin.
40-4t

FOR SALE—Pair of hockey shoes,
size 2, and pair of hockey skates,
size 9½, in good condition. Snap for
immediate sale. Apply to The Times
office. 38-1t

FOR SALE—Battery charger, com-
plete with bulb. Snap for cash. Apply
Box "F", Times Office. 37-1t

LUMBER FOR SALE—Any kind,
any quantity. Delivered anywhere
it will pay you to get prices from
W. B. Fullerton, Phone R102, Battle
Lake. 22-1t



WANTED—Neat, strong young wo-
man to learn cooking. Apply in person
to Grey Goose Cafe, Wetaskiwin.
43-1t

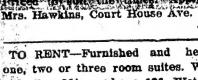
WANTED—Applications for the po-
sition of secretary-treasurer for the
German Mutual Fire Insurance Com-
pany will be received by the under-
signed up to Saturday, January 16th.
Applicants to state qualifications and
salary expected. All applications to
be enclosed in letter marked "Appli-
cation," and addressed to A. Reist,
acting secretary, Wetaskiwin. 42-2t



FOUND—Near the Stockyards on
December 24th, boy's overcoat. Owner
may have same by proving proper-
ty and paying for advertisement. The
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win, Alta. 35-1t

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SPORT

BY-LAW NO. 717

A By-Law to provide for the borrow-
ing of money by the issue of Debentures
for the construction and equip-
ment of a new Hospital in the City of
Wetaskiwin, in the Province of Al-
berta, to accommodate the areas under
the jurisdiction of the City of
Wetaskiwin and the Municipal Dis-
trict of Montgomery No. 488, and to
authorize the City of Wetaskiwin
to sign and execute on behalf of
the said City, a certain agreement
between the City and the said Municipal-
ity of Montgomery No. 488.

Whereas it is expedient to erect and
equip a new Hospital in the City of
Wetaskiwin to provide hospital ac-
commodation for the areas under
the jurisdiction of the said City and the
Municipal District of Montgomery No. 488.

And whereas the said City of the
said City and the Municipal District
have agreed to the said terms and
conditions as between the said two Mu-
nicipalities, under which the said new
Hospital should be erected and equip-
ped, and a Draft Agreement has been
prepared, including such terms and
conditions.

And whereas it is deemed by the
Council of the said City that it is ad-
visable and in the best interest of
the said City to have the said Agree-
ment embodied in a By-Law, the said Agree-
ment should be ratified and confirmed
and that the same should be ex-
ecuted for and on behalf of the said
City.

And whereas the amount of the
whole ratable property of the said
City, according to the last revised
Assessment Roll is \$1,832,265.

And whereas the total amount of
the debts of the said City, outside
the debt used for current ex-
penses of the year 1931 is \$95,350.

Now therefore the Council of the
City of Wetaskiwin enacts as follows:

1. That the said Agreement be
ratified and confirmed and the said
and the said Mayor and City Clerk
and Treasurer of the said City
are hereby authorized to sign and
execute the same for and on behalf
of the said City, and the City
Clerk and Treasurer is hereby auth-
orized to affix thereto the Official Seal
of the said City.

2. That Debentures of the City of
Wetaskiwin be issued, signed by the
Mayor and City Clerk and Treasurer,
and sealed with the Corporate Seal
of the said City, for the purpose of
borrowing on the credit of the City of
Wetaskiwin, \$27,000,000. Dollars.

The Debentures shall be dated the date
of issue and shall be repayable in
Fifteen (15) equal aggregate annual
sums of principal and interest, each
containing \$1,877,333, each such instal-
ment of principal and interest to be
paid on the same day of each year,
in each year, and the first of such instal-
ments to be payable one year from
date of issue.

3. That the Debentures shall bear
interest at the rate of six (6) per cent
per annum and shall be payable at
the Bank of Montreal in the City of
Montreal, with compound interest.

4. That the vote of the Electors
qualified to vote on this By-Law shall
be taken on the 1st day of February,
A.D. 1932 between the hours of Nine
and One-half hours from the hour of
Six o'clock in the afternoon in the
Council Chamber of the City Hall, in the
City of Wetaskiwin.

5. That John E. Fraser is hereby
authorized to be Returning Officer and
D. Montgomery Deputy Returning
Officer, to take the votes at the time
and place aforesaid.

6. The Mayor shall attend at the
Council Chamber in the City of Wet-
askiwin on the 1st day of February
in the forenoon of the 1st day of February,
A.D. 1932, and shall, if requested, ap-
point in writing and signed by him
one person to attend such Polling
Place at the time of voting and
the final summing up of the said
votes, on behalf of the persons inter-
ested in and desirous of promoting or
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THE WORST POP

Wallace: "Why don't you marry
Gladys? Afraid to pop the question?"

Horace: "No; afraid to question
your hand?"

Johnny: "I thought Reggie Row-
bottom could tell."

Teacher: "What made you think
Reggie could describe the lynx?"

Johnny: "Cause his brother's a
caddie, sir."

THE EXPLAINED

The teacher had been lecturing his
pupils on famous proverbs.

Teacher: "Now, take this one," he said.

"Out of sight, out of mind. Can
anybody tell me what that proverb
means?"

"Yes, sir," answered the brightest
boy in the class. "Invisible and in-
sane."

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THE CAUSE FOR HAPPINESS

Visitor (to man of 90): "You're get-
ting older."

Ancient One: "I'm glad of it—else
I shouldn't be here!"

THE ANNUAL MEETING

JOHN KNOX S.D. NO. 463

The annual meeting of the ratepayers
of John Knox School District No.

463 will be held in the school house
on Saturday, January 16th, at 2
o'clock p.m. Reports for the year will
be submitted, and one trustee will be
elected.

THE WANTED TO BUY

HORSES WANTED—Anyone hav-
ing old or crippled horses to dispose
of, please call, telephone or write
us. We can take immediate delivery.

Montgomery Brothers Limited, phone
18, Wetaskiwin.

TRADE WITH THE MERCHANTS WHO AD-
VERTISE IN THIS PAPER.

WETASKIWIN LOSE FAST
GAME TO CAMROSE FLIERS

By playing good clean hockey, cou-
pled with effective combination, the
Camrose Fliers hockey team had a
slight advantage over the Wetaskiwin
winkies on the local ice Friday night.
The game was fast throughout, both
teams being determined to win.
Wardy Somers, who had charge of the
game, had little difficulty keeping
control, and the penalties were few.
Wetaskiwin's counters were made by

Bob Watson getting on in a
pass from Farwell, and the other un-
associated, while Jim Watson, a solo
goalie, and the net for Wetaskiwin's
third and final counter. For the
Camroseans Hanson scored three and
Robinson one. The final score was
Camrose 4, Wetaskiwin 3. The line-
up was:

Camrose: Watson; N. Hardy, Mc-
Gregor; Nugent, Taylor, Hanson, L.
Hardy, D. Mohler, Robinson.

Wetaskiwin: Gouchee; J. Watson,
Neil; Farewell, A. Abousafy, R. Wat-
son, Merner, Achter, Greiner.

GOOD GOAL KEEPING
WINS GAME FOR THORSBY

Phenomenal playing on the part of
the visiting goal tender prevented the
Wetaskiwin hockey team from chalk-
ing up another victory Monday night,
when an exhibition game was played
here with Thorsby. Not only was the
goal keeper impregnable, but the
visitors also had a better combin-
ation and team play than the locals.
Four periods were played, the first
and third being scoreless, the second
and fourth, Robinson, a tower of
strength for Thorsby, took the net
three times, once unassisted and the
other two on passes from J. Willis
and Rusicka. Wetaskiwin got its
only winner nine minutes after play
commenced in the final period, when
in a mix-up in front of the Thorsby
goal, B. Watson put one across which
beat the goalie. Final score was
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well in hand, and no penalties were
handed out. Play was fast consider-
ing the inclement weather. The line-
up was:

Thorsby: Phillips; Dr. Henken,
Derrick; Robinson, Rusicka, Willis,
Hessler, Umphress, Moeloor.

Wetaskiwin: Gouchee; J. Watson,
Merner; A. Abousafy, Greiner, Ach-
ter, Farewell, R. Watson.

THE GOLD STANDARD

Whether 'tis better to be on or off
the gold standard seems to be the
question agitating the readers in most
countries these days. There have been
several rumors of Canada's intention
to leave the gold standard but they
have been promptly denied. Since
this is a gold producing country and
incidentally one that is benefiting
largely by the present situation with
respect to gold there is very good
reason for staying on the gold standard.

6. The newest development, though,
is a demand in the United States for
that country to follow England and several other nations
and abandon gold as the standard of
exchange. If that were done then the
Canadian position would be greatly
changed as Canada is benefitting just
now by the fact that the U. S. is on
a gold standard and that Canadian
dollars are selling below par on the
gold market. Should that situation
be changed then it would be a question
what Canada might do or have
to do to meet the situation. There
is one school of thought that definitely
sees a breakdown in the world's trading,
so far as gold is concerned and a book
recently published in Toronto, "A World on Gold Rations,"
tells the story rather plainly and ad-
vocates a medium of exchange based
more or less on the wealth of the
country selling. This writer says:
"The bridge of the gold standard is
cracking under its own weight. Before
its trusses fall and humanity is
engulfed, we must create a new
monetary standard, a bridge of social
credit wide enough to bear the freight
of commerce, strong enough to com-
mand the confidence of the world's
producers. We have long attempted
to create money by legislation, and are
just beginning to discover that its
origin is production. A true cur-
rency should conform to the char-
acter of the wealth of which it is the
title. It should be as plentiful as
the goods and services offered for
exchange. Our country should be a
gold producing nation again comes up
as a possibility. The gold standard
is a good idea but it is not the only
way to go."

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THE OPENING TO PAY
18 PER CENT ON TWO MILLION

EDMONTON, Jan. 12.—Obligations
that the province of Alberta will
have in the New York money market
Friday, when a debenture issue for
\$3,000,000 will mature, will be safely
taken care of, it is announced by
Premier Brownlie. The premier said
that satisfactory arrangements have
been completed by which an exten-
sion of this balance will be taken up.

The exchange discount on \$2,000,000
will cost Alberta \$86,000. Particulars
as to how the latter part of the
transaction has been arranged are
not being given out at present,
but the premier says that a state-
ment will no doubt be made to the
legislature when it meets.

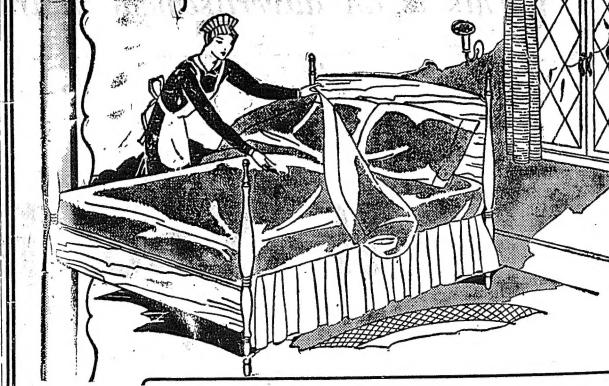
Exchange on the \$2,000,000 that
will be taken up, cannot be avoided,
and the deal is being put through at
a rate of 18 per cent.

THE HER KIND DEED

Boy Scout (to elderly lady): "May
I accompany you across the road,
madam?"

Old Lady: "Certainly, sonny. How
long have you been waiting here for
somebody to take you across?"

Use The Times Want Ad. columns.



You are invited to our special
display of
Wabasco Cotton Fabrics
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
January 21st to 23rd

A representative from the Factory will be here during
the above days and will demonstrate the products of the
Wabasso Company, which is one of the largest cotton
factories in the Dominion.

You will be amazed at the large range
of beautiful fabrics they manufacture
and the extremely low price at which
they can be purchased.

DO NOT FORGET THE DATES

EVERYONE WELCOME

Come and see what Canadians can do
in the production of cotton goods.

BUY MADE-
IN-CANADA
GOODS

Keep your money
at home and thus
help in bringing
our good
Canadian Dollar
back to par

MERCO GREEN LABEL TEA
Suits Northern Alberta water
Per lb. 45c

CHOCOLATE BISCUITS
with marshmallow tops
½ lb. 10c

MACARONI
Made from hard wheat
5 lb. box 32c

GILLETTS LYE
The old reliable 100% pure
Per tin 15c

FRENCH CREAMS & JELLIES
Pure candy
½ lb. 12c

WITCH HAZEL SOAP
A delightful toilet soap.
Per bar 6c

PUMPKIN
Choice, 2½ lb. tins... 13c
Each

GINGERBREAD MOLASSES
5 lb. tins 45c

RED BIRD MATCHES
Boxes of 400
None better. Per box 9c

SWIFT'S PURE LARD
3 lb. Tin 37c
5 lb. tin 60c
10 lb. tin \$1.17

ROYAL CROWN SOAP
A high grade laundry soap.
10 bars 41c
with a kneeling pad free

WHOLE GREEN BEANS
2 lb. tins 11c

[This is an advertisement addressed to retailers in a "small way" of business]

If You Really Want a Small Business Say Nothing About It!

RETAILERS who DON'T WANT a bigger business should say nothing about it, for if they began talking about it in the form of advertisements they would get new customers whose requirements would just distribute them—would compel them to buy more, deliver more, work more.

There's a story told about a retailer who certainly didn't want a big business. He was playing checkers with a crony in some place of hiding in the rear portion of his store. A customer entered. The crony said "There's Mrs. Black." "Hush," said the retailer, "If we don't make a noise, perhaps she'll go away."

The way to a bigger business is as plain as the nose on one's face---customer multiplication. A retailer with an urge toward bigger things SHOULD GIVE HIS MAIN THOUGHT AND EFFORT to the matter of customer multiplication.

SOME RETAILERS CAN NEVER HOPE TO HAVE A BIG BUSINESS EVEN IF THEY WANTED ONE—THEY LACK THE ABILITY, THE ENERGY, THE AMBITION, THE UNDERSTANDING needed to make a big business. They are content with a small business, and would be really unhappy if their business was growing rapidly as a consequence of circumstances outside their control. THEY WOULD FEEL LIKE A MAN IN A WAGON WHOSE HORSES WERE RUNNING AWAY WITH IT!

Some retailers, however, have an urge to make their business larger. They dream of the time when they will have one big store or a flock of "chain" stores. They want a much bigger income than their present one. Perhaps they dream of a time when they WON'T HAVE TO WORK, WHEN THEY WILL HAVE MUCH

LEISURE TO BE SPENT PITCHING HORSESHOES, OR IN BOWLING, OR IN TRAVELLING, OR WITH BOOKS, OR IN A COUNTRY HOME.

CUSTOMER ATTRACTION can be accomplished variously, but there is one essential means—press advertising. ADVERTISEMENTS GO WHERE PERSONAL SALESMEN AND EVEN LETTERS CAN'T HOPE TO GO, and they have a profound influence on readers of them—they soften resistance, dissolve apathy, create confidence and goodwill, and direct the steps of buyers. And they are cheap! And buyers—not sellers—pay for them, and are glad to pay for them! BUYERS ALWAYS GO, IN LARGEST NUMBERS, AND OF THEIR OWN FREE WILL, TO THOSE STORES WHICH SPEND A LOT OF MONEY ON ADVERTISING.

Why should any ambitious retailer hesitate to contract for advertising which his customers will pay for gladly?

Quick RELIEF from pain



A lot of things can cause a headache or other pain, but there is one thing that will always give you relief! Just take a tablet or two of Aspirin. Your suffering ceases. Relief comes instantly, regardless of what may have been making your head throb with pain.

Aspirin is harmless—cannot depress the heart. So there's no use waiting for a headache to "wear off." It is a genuine pain killer, and you know when you can get Aspirin. It is a blessing to women who suffer regular systemic pain; to men who must work on, in spite of eye-strain, fatigue or nervousness.

Let's quick relief for colds; for neuritis, rheumatism, lumbago. Be sure to get Genuine Aspirin. All druggists keep Aspirin tablets.

W.C.T.U.

More than 1,500,000 British people have now signed the International Declaration in support of World Disarmament. This Declaration is being widely signed in forty countries and all the signatures will be presented to the Disarmament Conference in Geneva in February.

The W.C.T.U. and the Ministerial Association of Sydney have forwarded to the government of Nova Scotia a petition asking that the government liquor stores in Sydney be closed during the period of financial depression.

The W.C.T.U. of Edmonton, recently passed a resolution to press for closing of beer rooms on the plea that Saskatchewan with a population of nearly 200,000 more than Alberta received \$700,000 from the liquor business last year, while Alberta received more than \$2,000,000. Saskatchewan has no beer parlors and Alberta has the beer parlors and the cost of beer is not included in the \$2,000,000. Could there be a more convincing proof that beer creates and fosters a thirst for hard liquor? The profits from beer would easily bring Alberta an additional \$1,000,000. And this revenue business cannot be run without boys and girls. Whose boys and girls? This is the question to take home.

"Building boys is better than mending men."

INVENTORY OF 1931

A neighboring editor takes an inventory of the salient episodes of his experience in 1931. He jots down the following items: Been broke 361 times; praised the public 91 times; praised individuals 8,769 times; have been praised by the public 2 times; told lies 720 times; shaded the truth 367 times; used unwarranted adjectives 4,356 times; missed prayer meetings 52 times; reported other meetings 391 times; escaped serious trouble 52 times; have been informally roasted 431 times; roasted others 62 times; washed office towel 3 times; mentioned for preacher 11 times; mistaken for capitalist 0 times; got licked 4 times; licked others 1 time; cash at beginning of 1931, \$2.47; cash at end of 1931, 16 cents.

SHERIDAN'S Rheumatic Remedy

RELIEVES QUICKLY
RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, NEURITIS
ARTICULAR, GOUT, LUMBAGO

One bottle \$1.00, one
quarter bottle 50¢, one
eighth bottle 25¢, one
sixteenth bottle 12½¢.

Visit the drug store
nearest you. "Pain Away
With Sheridan's Remedy."

THE SHERIDAN MEDICINE CO.
5000 St. John St., St. John's, Nfld.

MITCHELL THE AUCTIONEER

FARM SALES A SPECIALTY

Phone 15 MILLET

MILLET SCHOOL REPORT

Grade VIII.

Gordon Higginson	80
Joe Graham	73.5
John Golin	63.1
Marie Scott	64.6
Billy Pettigrew	63.3
Irene Kent	61.5
James Gray	64.4
Pearl Collicut	43.5

Grade VII.

M. Van Volkenburg	72.5
Tom Wolf	69.3
Lloyd Smith	67.8
David Graham	65.2
Beulah Simpson	63.2
Annemarie Wassmuth	60.6
Billy Kerr	56.3
Nancy English	54.6
Edith Smith	53.6
Norman Carney	52.4
Helen Duchuk	52.3
Verle Pettigrew	51.4
Lawrence Kerr	43.1

Grade VI.

Mollie Moore	82.3
Maria Moen	80.6
Augusta Little	30.3
Stella Champoux	76.3
Margaret Moen	73.3
Jim Golin	71.5
Marguerite Harkness	67.8
Gerald Scott	58.7
Arthur Briggs	56.3
Olena Little	55.3

Grade V.

Phyllis Bear	84.4
Tom Rowley	76
Ruth Easterbrook	70.29
Yee Queong	68.71
Russell Strand	67
Alice Champoux	63.14
Elaine Mitchell	62.85
Gaven Miller	55.55
Ruby McDougall	54.28
Esther Pettigrew	54.28
Gweneth Clarke	49.71
Clara Kinchella	48.14
Alma Shaw	47.66

Grade X.

Gertrude Van Ark	83
Wallace McConnell	76
Eilda Van Volkenburg	66
Mabel Johnson	61.57
Ruth Rowley	61.43
Andie Duchuk	61.20
Kathy Duchuk	58.50
Elsie Johnson	53.33
Dorothy Blize	58
Alva Wolf	56.67
Mildred Smith	56.16
Gordon Kerr	55.55
Gordon Lee	54.71
Staunton Elder	53.46
Absent, for exams—Douglas Thornt	
William Marr, Harry Olsky.	

Grade XI.

Adrian Kent	76.50
Albert Jackson	72.37
Ronald Hosking	70.57
Mona Hamilton	68.60
Lorne Carney	67.66
Ruby Briggs	67.28
Rachel Deans	60.75
Velma Shaw	59.83
Morris Jeune	59

C. W. PARKER, Teacher.

GRAND VIEW SCHOOL REPORT

Grade I., Junior (in order of merit)

Mildred Ertman, Elizabeth Hegan.

Grade I. (Senior)

Jean Rickard

Grade II.

Ervin Ertman

Grade III.

Ronald Johnson

Evelyn Ertman

Grade IV.

William Hagan

Grade V.

Harold Jackson

Clifford Lahe

Grade VII.

John Alberg

Carl Grind

Grade VIII.

Christina Rickard

Lydia Lentz

Douglas Jackson

Carl Johnson

Grade IX.

Eileen Lahe

Joseph Rickard

Delia Lentz

Rowland Jackson

W. A. YAREMKO, Teacher.

PLANNING FOR 1932

Failure records for 1931 show that a high percentage of casualties in the manufacturing and distributing group resulted primarily from a lack of directed effort and a proneness to sit back and wait for business to improve instead of doing something about it—Bradstreet.

Do something, tell your customers what you have, and tell them in an interesting and convincing way and keep on telling them. The local newspaper is absolutely the best medium for putting your message over.

—Institute Province.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 7.—Julius Rosenwald, numbered among the greatest philanthropists of all time, died Wednesday. He would have been 70 years old next August.

The fortune founded on the growth of Sears, Roebuck & Co., of which he was chairman at his death, Mr. Rosenwald pitted against racial and religious intolerance, ignorance and poverty, and his benefactions to humanity totalled more than \$40,000,000.

Alberta's new 1932 auto license plates, with black figures on a white background, will be the only "black-on-white" license on the continent, with the exception of Alabama plates, according to the lists of official license plate colors for North America.

Seventeen tag days in 1931 realized \$18,958 in the city of Calgary.

Rev. H. G. Smith, Pastor.

ST. JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

During the winter months, Communion will be held at 3 p.m. on the second Sunday of each month.

Sunday school at 2 p.m.

Evensong with sermon at 8 p.m. every Sunday except the second when there will be a Communion service instead.

Rev. A. Murphy, M.A., Vicar.

PROFESSIONAL

DR. W. J. SIMPSON

Physician and Surgeon

Office in Billy Karr's house

(Opposite Anglican Church)

Telephone 16 ALBERTA

THE MILLET PAGE

THIS PAGE DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF MILLET AND DISTRICT

Telephone to, or leave all items for this page, as well as advertisements, & all orders for commercial printing.

Phone all news to Millet Central. Post news to Mrs. JOHN MAINE, Times Correspondent, Gen. Del. Millet

ARTERIOSCLEROSIS

With the approach of old age, changes in the arteries are to be expected on account of their constant use over a period of years. The change which we know as arteriosclerosis, or hardening of the arteries, means that the walls of the arteries have become thick and inelastic.

When this change occurs in middle life, we have what may be called premature old age, for it has been said with truth that a man is as old as his arteries. The change in the arteries is generally associated with changes in other parts which may be either the cause or the result of the altered condition of the arteries.

Hardening of the arteries follows poisoning of the body. Alcohol and lead are systemic poisons. Another form of poisoning is by the toxins given off by germs which are present in the body.

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AUDIEN THEATRE

Thur., Fri., 8 p.m. Sat. 2:30, 7:30, 9:30 Jan. 14-15-16

GEORGE BANCROFT in
"RICH MAN'S FOLLY"

A mighty Caesar of a money-grabbing man, Menay is his god, it goes him to the ends of the earth, until he tries to barter cash for happiness and learns that there is no gold standard for love. Burly Bancroft in the most vigorous role of his career, with Frances Dee, Robert Ames and Little David Durand.

"TORCHY PASSES THE BUCK" & "THE VANISHING LEGION"

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 8 p.m. Jan. 18-19-20

ELISSA LANDI and LIONEL BARRYMORE in
"THE YELLOW TICKET"

BARRYMORE as the wolf-like despot of the Secret Police and Landi as the girl he trifled him, in this dramatic picture of the days of barbed splendor, preceding the gigantic uprising of 1917 that ended in the execution of the Czar and his family. A picture like this does not come often—do not miss it.

Also "UP POPS THE DUKE" and "IDLE ROOMERS"

Thursday, Friday, Saturday Jan. 21-22-23

KEN MAYNARD in "BRANDED MEN"

SLIM SUMMERSVILLE in "BAD SISTER"

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DISTRIBUTION WITHOUT WASTING

LET SAFeway BALANCE YOUR BUDGET

Prices Effective Friday, Saturday and Monday, January 15-16-18

P. & G. SOAP	3c
Bar	Limit 20 Bars

CANDY, Maple Buds	lb. 25c
CHOCOLATES, Fancy Quality	lb. 29c

NABOB TEA	37c
Pound	

DATES, in bulk	2 lbs. 19c
SOAP CHIPS, in bulk	2 lbs. 25c

JAM	32c
Orchard City Blended, 4 lb. tins	
Strawberry, Raspberry, Assorted Flavors	
Each	Limit 2 Tins

OYSTER SHELL	16 lbs. 35c
FANCY BISCUITS in bulk, Assorted	19c
PEANUT BUTTER, in bulk	2 lbs. 35c
AUSTRALIAN PEACHES, 2½ tins	2 for 49c

TOBACCO	63c
1-12 lb. Package of Mount Tobacco FREE with	
½ lb. tin Mountie	

PINK SALMON, tall tins	10c
GINGER SNAPS	3 lbs. 35c

VEGETABLE COMBINATION	65c
2 Aylmer or Royal Purple CORN, No. 2 Tins	
2 Aylmer PEAS, No. 2 Tins, No. 5 Sieve	
2 No. 2½ Size Tins TOMATOES	

ONTARIO BEANS	5 lbs. 19c
BROOMS, 4 lb.	29c

LAMP CHIMNEYS, or LANTERN GLOBES	2 for 25c
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DEL MONTE TOMATO SAUCE, Buffet Tins	Each 5c
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COFFEE	
1 lb. Airway Coffee	45c
3 lbs. Highway Coffee	95c

Safeway Stores Limited

NOTICE

WETASKIWIN MARKETS

Wednesday, January 13, 1932

No. 1 Northern	40½
No. 2 Northern	36½
No. 3 Northern	31½
No. 4 Wheat	32½
No. 5 Wheat	35½
Barley	23½
Rye	26
Flax	27
Lamb	3.00 to 4.50
Steers	2½ to 3c
Eggs	12-20c

***Elias coming before Jesus. Free book, Megiddo Mission, Rochester, New York.

***Band at the Skating Rink every Friday night.

***The Women's Association of First United Church have set the date for their bazaar for November 12th.

***The Ladies' Curling Club will hold a dance in the Elks hall on Friday, January 29th. Admission, 75c each.

***The W.A. of the Anglican Church will hold a tea and food sale on Saturday, February 6th, in the Parish Hall.

***Don't forget the fancy and costume dress Ice Carnival Saturday night at 7:30, with the usual attractions, such as races, band, refreshments, etc.

BORN

GIST—In the Wetaskiwin hospital on the 6th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Gist of Westerose, a daughter.

A Mother of Five Children

Nervous and Tired at Night

Mrs. Isaac Shanks, St. Paul, Ont., writes: "I am the mother of five children and have a lot of work to do. My heart would get very weak, and I was very nervous and tired out at night. I always took Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills on hand and by taking them occasionally they made me rest comfortably and sleep well at night, and make me feel like a new person. Really, these Pills have no equal."

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January Clearance Sale
at BRODY'S

MAIL ORDERS FILLED with the GUARANTEE OF SATISFACTION, or Money Cheerfully Refunded. Come to the Store for most SATISFACTION in Seeing, Trying, Fitting and Selecting Your Needs During January.

WARM LINED VESTS	25c
SOFT, Pliable, Hard-wearing leather vests	
wool lined	
\$3.95	

BROWN JERSEY GLOVES	25c
Heavy fleece lined	
2 Pairs	
HEAVY WOOL HOSE	29c
fine yarn	
Pair	

WOMEN'S HIGH OVERSHOES	98c
Just the thing for this weather.	
Sizes up to 5 only	
98c	pair

WOMEN'S WOOL FLEECE ALASKA CLOTH RUBBERS	79c
pair	
JUMBO KNIT WOOL HOSE	35c
pair	
MEN'S LEATHERETTE COATS	3.95
Made of artificial leather, heavy wool fleece lined	

PANTS	2.95
REGULAR \$5.00 VALUE	

OVERSIZED COAT RIBBETTES	3.95
Slightly Irregular Values to \$8.50	
ALL WOOL FLANNEL	65c
Yard	

MEN'S HEAVY MOLESKIN PANTS	1.98
Heavy moleskin	
\$2.59	A Pair
WOMEN'S HEAVY FELT BOOTS	

"Stanfield's" Blue label MEN'S WOOL COMBS.	49c
"Penman's" MEN'S WOOL COMBS.	2.89
24x28 Heavy RAG RUGS	75c

CHILDREN'S FELT BOOTS	1.69
Lot of WOMEN'S WINTER COATS	4.95
4.95	a Pair
LOT OF BOYS' OVERCOATS	
Clearance Sale Price	5.95

GOOD HEAVY BROOMS	29c
2 for 55c	
PHONE 58 WE DELIVER	
BRODY'S GROCERY	
Special Prices Good Jan. 15-22	

PEANUTS - 2 lbs. 19c	
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OWL MATCHES - 20c	
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SUGAR CRISP CORN FLAKES	8c
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ROGERS SYRUP 5's 42c	
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NABOB TEA . - 42c	
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PRUNES - 4 lbs. 33c	
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P. & G. SOAP 5 for 18c	
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CALAY TOILET SOAP 4 for 25c	
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Undersell all other catalogue houses and department stores.

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JANUARY 16 ONLY

MAC'S BEST

FLOUR

98's \$1.85

49's 95c

24's 50c

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There are insufficient stockers arriving to really make a market. Prices quoted steady. Stocker, steers and heifers quoted generally at \$3.50 to \$3.75 for the better kinds. Plainer kinds \$3.00 to \$3.25. Stocker cows \$2.00 to \$2.25. Calf market strong. Choice dealers

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Receipts: Cattle, 678; calves, 36; hogs, 404; sheep, 72.

Buyers so far this week have not been showing quite the same keenness, although salesmen have had no difficulty in moving their offerings quite freely, especially on really good kinds. Buyers are grading closer, especially medium and inbetween kinds of cattle. Prices of butcher hifers and cows remain fully steady with last week's close. Medium to good

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